

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1702

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Fuel from Waste

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Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

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- (a) whether the Government has initiated/planned any project under Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) with private partnership to turn waste into fuel;
- (b) if so, the details thereof and expected production from such projects in the coming five years;
- (c) whether viability studies have been conducted in this regard and if so, the details thereof; and
- (d) whether any foreign funding is expected/planned in this regard and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT

(SHRI BABUL SUPRIYO)

(a) to (d): Government of India is implementing Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) from 2nd October, 2014 with a target to clean the country by 2nd October, 2019. Govt. of India provides financial assistance in the form of 20%VGF/Grants to the States for implementation of SBM. Under SBM, States/ULBs may adopt any feasible waste processing techniques, as per their viability, including waste-to-energy / waste-to-fuel with private partnership for efficient management of municipal solid waste in their jurisdiction.
